TOOTERS IN THE GOOD OLD DAYS—A half century ago the Novy brass band was an institution in this county. The musicians played for numerous social functions and public dances. The members sometimes traveled afoot for miles to play. This group picture was taken when the five member band played for the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Nic Peot of Mishicot nearly 52 years ago. In the group, left to right, Joseph Kinzel, Wencil Narvik, Joseph Hoffman, Joseph Kliment and John Novy.

REMEMBER WHEN — The Village of Mishicot had a National Band from 1909-1914. In the front row, from left, were Anton Shedivy, leader, Edward Stechmesser and George Princl, who was owner and operator of the Princl Transit Co. in Mishicot, a business which is still operated by his sons. In the back row were Alvin Stechmesser, Kurt Stechmesser, John Flentji and Herbert Stechmesser. Herbert Stechmesser and Princl are the only survivors of the organization. Herbert is an honorary member of the Manitowoc Marine Band, the American Federation of Musicians No. 195 and still plays with a small combo, known as "Music Unlimited."

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